

## CHAPTER 48

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER 142 OF THE PUBLIC LAWS OF 1913, BEING AN ACT TO PERMIT COUNTIES IN NORTH CAROLINA TO EMPLOY BANK AND TRUST COMPANIES IN THE CAPACITY OF COUNTY TREASURERS, SO AS TO ADD CRAVEN COUNTY IN SECTION 4 THEREOF.

*The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:*

SECTION 1. That section four of chapter one hundred and forty-two of the Public Laws of one thousand nine hundred and thirteen be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding after the word "Carteret" in line three thereof and before the word "and" the word "Craven."

Craven County added to list of counties permitted to employ banks in capacity of treasurer.

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified this 17th day of February, A. D. 1919.

## CHAPTER 49

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTIONS 20 AND 21 OF THE MUNICIPAL FINANCE ACT, 1917.

*The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:*

SECTION 1. That sections twenty and twenty-one of chapter one hundred and thirty-eight of the Public Laws of one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, known as the Municipal Finance Act, be, and they hereby are, amended by striking out the word "last" wherever it occurs in said sections and inserting in lieu thereof the word "first."

Time of questioning validity of ordinance 30 days after "first" instead of "last" publication.

SEC. 2. Section twenty-one of said act is hereby further amended by striking out the word "within" in the second line of subsection 1 of said section.

Ordinance effective thirty days after last publication.

SEC. 3. No ordinance heretofore passed authorizing bond issues for necessary expenses under the act hereby amended, nor any bond issued or to be issued under such an ordinance, shall be held invalid by reason of the fact that the ordinance provides that it shall take effect thirty days after its first publication; and this act shall be construed as applying in all respects to existing bond ordinances so providing, as well as to future ordinances.

No bonds issued or to be issued under such ordinance to be affected by amendment.

SEC. 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 5. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified this 17th day of February, A. D. 1919.